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War's Daily Progress.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29TH.

Five battalions of Spanish troops that left Manzanilla to reinforce Gen. Linarés at Santiago are reported to have returned to Manzanilla. This is regarded by the Americans as an abandonment by Gen. Pando of the attempt to take 10,000 troops to Santiago's defense, ordered by Gen. Blanco. Linarés has 12,000 soldiers well arranged for defending the city. Some of the big guns from Cervera's ships have been mounted on shore to command the valleys and roads leading to the city. The ships are placed so as to sweep the approaches with their remaining batteries.

Trouble is threatened in the Philippines from the insurgents declaring independence, being incited thereto by the Germans and other foreigners. Aguinaldo has already issued a circular to the effect that he will probably invite the European powers to recognize and guarantee the complete independence of the Philippines. Germany has even warships at Manila and embassies in Manila.

Admiral Camara's squadron at the Mediterranean end of the Suez Canal is delayed in passage by the draft; not the draft of his ships, for they are not too deep for the water of the canal, but by the draft the Admiral tendered in payment of the fees. The canal people were not willing to accept his draft for \$100,000 on his home government. The Admiral is having difficulty too in securing coal for his ships. The best ships of the squadron are said to be scarcely seaworthy.

Uncle Sam tells the folks at home to not send the soldier boys pines, cakes, and such eatables, as it ruins their digestion.

Commodore Watson, who is to command the Eastern Squadron, is a Kentuckian.

It is reported from abroad that when Gen. Shafter begins the main attempt to take Santiago, Cervera will come out to attack Sampson and the same time Villamil will attack Sampson from the rear with a flotilla of torpedo-boats. He had concealed in West Indian water and some ships recently detached from Camara's squadron.

THURSDAY, JUNE 30TH.

The common soldiers of the Cuban insurgents are nearly all colored, and they have won the good opinion of the Americans by their fighting and many valuable services. But they have been nearly starved so long that they eat like "hog-brothered tape-worms in their insides." They call dead Spaniards "good Spaniards." Four insurgents killed themselves by over-eating when they got to the American camp, one an aide on Gen. Castillo's staff. He was found dead with content in his face and some food clamped to his chest.

Instead of turning back, the 8,700 troops under Gen. Pando are coming to Santiago. They are due about Sunday. The enemy's forces in the city are about 14,000. Shafter's army and the Cubans number about 20,000. With the reinforcements on the way he will have about 28,000 outside of the Cubans.

Gen. Merritt sailed on the gunboat Newport June 29th to command the troops in the Philippines. Ten thousand soldiers have been sent.

FRIDAY, JULY 1ST.

Shafter's pickets are now only a half mile from those of the enemy. Watson's squadron is to go after Camara's.

Admiral Montojo will be tried by court-martial because Dewey destroyed his squadron.

The Egyptian government is trying to get Camara away from Port Said at the earliest possible moment and is giving him the cold hospitality of a neutral port.

SATURDAY, JULY 2D.

The American army began battle all along the line at Santiago at 8 o'clock Friday morning and fought until sunset. At the close the army had taken the outer intrenchments of the enemy, who were retreating to the city. The loss on the American side was heavy, especially in wounded. Sampson co-operated with Shafter.

A report from Madrid says the Spanish government regards the continuance of the war a political necessity and is to be prolonged to the utmost. The threat to send a squadron against the Spanish coast has put the people there in a frenzy of rage. The priests are preaching war to the bitter end.

Up to June 27th the troops on warships located at Manila Bay, to assist Dewey. A storm is supposed to have delayed them. The insurgent leader has promised to make no offensive move until the Spanish ships have left Manila, leaving only two in order to keep down any appearance of meddling with Dewey's control of the situation. The insurgents have begun quarreling among themselves and Aguinaldo has arrested several of the minor chiefs suspected of treachery toward him.

The First Ky. nearly lynched Everett Williams, negro cook of C. D. B. for applying an insulting epithet to a soldier. An officer and guard took him outside the lines and made him leave.

The troops at Chickamauga are now receiving their first pay. About \$2,000,000 will be distributed.

A spy at Santiago overheard a citizen ask a Spanish soldier if the Americans fought well. "My God," was the reply, "they tried to catch us with their hands."

Some of the terms for the Fourth Kentucky Regiment (Col. David C. Nelson's) at Lexington are nearly as rough. They attacked a negro and beat him nearly to death.

MONDAY, JULY 2D.

The Americans renewed the battle all around Santiago. Saturday, June 26th, the Spanish troops were killed or wounded in the woods fighting. The enemy's loss is correspondingly heavy, two thousand being taken prisoners also. Our officers suffered equally with the men, in some cases very officers in company being killed or wounded.

Gen. Wheeler and Young both have fever. Gen. Wheeler going to the front in an ambulance, despite the protest of his surgeons, vacated the ambulance for some wounded soldiers passing him.

The American observation captive balloon rendered good service at Santiago, but was split by the enemy's sharpshooters Saturday.

At Manzanilla, the American auxiliary warships Hiet, Hornet and Wampatuck fought the Spanish vessels, composed of a cruiser, torpedo-boat, four gunboats and others, besides land batteries and armed pontoons. The Americans sank two gunboats, a ship and a pontoon, but the Spaniards sank the other vessels. In leaving, the Hiet ran and sank a gunboat at Negreira. Later the Hiet ran a troop ship aground.

A report from Berlin says that Germany, France and Russia will wait till the war is over and then interfere so that neither the United States nor Great Britain shall have the whole of the Philippines. Admiral Camara's three torpedo-boat destroyers have been sent back to Spain.

MONDAY, JULY 2TH.

Admiral Cervera made a dash to leave Santiago harbor Sunday. One ship got out, but was hotly pursued and will likely be taken or sunk. The balance of the squadron were run aground, set afire and exploded, destroying the pick of the Spanish navy, except the Pelayo and Carlos V.

Gen. Shafter demanded the surrender of Santiago at 10 a. m. Sunday, but had received no reply at 4 p. m. He says the situation is precarious on account of the difficulty of supplying the army with food, and the tremendous fighting capabilities of the enemy from an almost impregnable position.

The Charleston and three transports with 2,500 troops reached Manila June 30th. They were delayed by stopping to take the drone islands, which they accomplished.

Gen. Linarés, the Spanish Commander, was seriously wounded at Santiago and half of his army killed or wounded in the battles, according to the Spanish report by Gen. Blanco.

Gen. Miles will go with reinforcements to Santiago. 20,000 troops from Chickamauga are ordered South. The First and Third Ky. will go.

TUESDAY, JULY 5TH.

Cervera's fleet made a desperate dash for liberty out of Santiago harbor at 9:30 o'clock a. m. July 3d and by 2 o'clock the same day every ship of the squadron of six of the finest vessels of the Spanish navy was a wreck, and Cervera, 70 officers and 1,000 of his men were prisoners. Sampson telegraphed to Dewey as a fourth of July gift for the nation. The Americans lost one man killed and two wounded. The enemy's dead is 350 and 100 wounded. Cervera is wounded. A gunboat also was destroyed. Admiral Sampson was away studying some of the enemy's shore defenses when Cervera made his break and old Billy Boy Schley had the honor of commanding the squadron that did the most of the fighting. Cervera fought pluckily. Three of the destroyed ships, the Vizcaya, Oquendo and Maria Teresa, were first-class armored cruisers, the finest and swiftest, as well as the most heavily armed, of their class in the world. The Colon was but little if any inferior to the other three. The torpedo-boat destroyers Furor and Pluton were among the best of their class. Cervera on the Colon made the nearest success of the attempt to escape. In just a few hours' fight Spain lost her \$20,000,000 in value of warships. Cervera's dash took our fleet completely by surprise, but it was ready for him in the shortest order.

The Prison Commission has made estimates of those applicants for positions who failed to land.

Benton McMillan got the Democratic nomination for Governor of Tennessee by acclamation.

Gen. de Winton is sixty-two years old, yet he started up a tree like a school boy in order to observe the enemy's position in the advance on Santiago.

One man, Laffer, has borrowed \$750,000, and probably will need as much again or more, to pay his son's losses in his wheat speculation.

The Democratic of the Third Tennessee Congressional district sang "Glad to be a Soldier" for way, and accompanied them John A. Mason by acclamation.

The Chicago stenographers struck for a 7-hour day and \$1 per day wages. The big d's stood together in refusing to accept, and no papers were issued for a few days.

Airmail proposals have been made for \$750,000,000 worth of bonds under the \$200,000,000 issue. Subscriptions for amounts of \$500 or less have been accepted to the amount of \$10,000,000.

The war isn't a circumstance in mortality to the Klondike. One man writes home that only four survive out of his party of 100 that left Seattle together. Two were drowned and the balance froze and starved to death.

The Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Terror is a cat-bow—more than one life. The Oregon some weeks ago sent it to the bottom of the sea near Santiago, and now Capt. Sigbee's ship, the St. Paul, disabled it in a fight at San Juan, Porto Rico, last week.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Sherburne.

The weather is warm here, but it is hot at Santiago.

Miss Mattie Watson is the guest of Miss Alta Gungell.

Court day at Flemingsburg was well attended from this place. Several from here attended the picnic at Grange City Saturday. They report a large crowd and a nice time.

Farmers are through harvesting, some of them have threshed, obtaining a yield of from 15 to 20 bushels per acre.

While attending to business in Flemingsburg, Friday School Commissioner Hull became very ill and has since been confined to his room.

Naylor's Branch.

The heaviest rain that has fallen here in ten years fell Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Reid is very low and her death is hourly expected.

Miss Martha Dennis, of Grassy Lick, Morgan county, visited relatives here this week.

Eller Tinsley preached at the Prickly Ash grove Sunday afternoon. A large crowd attended the meeting.

J. M. Richard purchased the following crops of tobacco in this community last week: J. T. Latham's at \$6, Newt Norris' at 75¢, Miss Mattie Cagle's at 6¢, A. K. Cagle's, of Prickly Ash, at \$6.40, Latham's at \$7.60; crop of James Horsman and Grant Cagle at \$7.60.

Grange City.

Miss Mattie McKinney is visiting friends in Bath county.

H. W. McDermott has returned to his home at Olympia.

Miss Mary Cright is visiting relatives in Bath county.

The picnic at Myers' Grove Saturday was highly attended.

Mrs. Eviline Atchison, of Owingsville, has been visiting Mrs. Jane Eden.

Miss Ellen Gilson, of Owingsville, who recently closed a successful term in music at this place, was the pleasant guest of Misses Rosa Johnson and May Newman Friday and Saturday.

Quite a number of our people attended the wedding of Miss Sallie Denton and Rev. J. S. Ragan at Hillsboro June 29th. May their journey through life be constantly illuminated by happiness with her brightest rays of sunshine.

West End.

Hot, hotter, hottest.

Mrs. Josie Shouse is visiting at Salt Lick this week.

Marion Carter is not expected to live, being ill of flux.

"South Side," you are off. We play a minor part in the Band. Messrs. Copher and Hicks are the leaders.

The blackberry crop is good. We can't say whether or not Durrell, Goodman & Co. will start their wine manufactory.

Hello, Montana, we are very anxious about that race the 4th. I'll bet we have an old plow-horse that can lick anything you have in Montana.

Among the relics collected by B. F. Piersall is an old hand mill of 1776, an old tick-lock gun and a rocking-chair, that belonged to his great-grandfather Warner.

Married, on last Thursday eve, James Karriek and Miss Mary Warner. Mr. Karriek is engaged in the timber business here. Miss Warner is one of our sweetest girls. We extend congratulations.

Our district trustees are in a mass over hiring a teacher. Employ a lady, gentlemen; they are not only as good educators as the men, but your children will get the benefit of their refining influence.

All Warner's warship is now ready for duty. Her crew consists of General Crovel, Commander Richard Webb, First Lieut. Joseph Fanning, Chief Cook. A quart of Uncle Tom Robinson's brandy will be broken over her bow.

Knob Lick.

Gen. cutting has commenced. The hay crop will be shorter than last year.

Dr. Hunt seems to be getting along low. He has much trouble and could hardly be expected to improve rapidly.

Robert Hunt has come back out of one of his fits of melancholy, what is it? The fit is not fondling, he is not trading, he has no profession, except wood-boring. Yes, probably pleasure and health.

This is the glorious fourth, a day for rejoicing. Today is a day of sorrow when we think of the noble life unnecessarily sacrificed at Santiago de Cuba. And for what? Not for independence, but for mercenary purposes, which the future will prove.

There seems to be some dissatisfaction among the winners. They were receiving 12¢ a baggy of corn, they claim they cannot make money after taking their doctor bills and powder. They are not making what they think a fair remuneration for a day's work.

Bethel.

James Berry is confined to his bed with fever.

D. S. Trumbo spent last week in West Liberty on business.

E. G. Hazdrigg, we are glad to say, is able to be up again.

S. T. Howard and wife, of Sharpshurg, visited D. S. Trumbo Friday.

Ad L. Trumbo and Ollie Arrasmith went to Paris on a business trip.

Wm. Stillwell, of near Paris, is visiting his brother-in-law, Ad L. Trumbo.

The next district conference of the M. E. Church, South, will be held at Sharpshurg.

Miss Maggie Arrasmith and her brother Morris are visiting friends at Helena this week.

Miss Nina Hazelrigg, of Owingsville, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Morris Brown, of Owingsville, and Mrs. Will Trumbo and daughter, Miss Bertha, of Nicholas county, were guests of D. S. Trumbo Monday.

Prof. Oscar Robertson, of Nicholas county, has been here a few days. He is always welcome in our midst. We wish him success and hope he will get the fall school here.

Moore's Ferry.

John Pickett, of Fleming county, was the guest of J. O. Otis Sunday.

Master Chesley McLaughlin, of Midland, visited his cousin, Willie Atchison, Sunday.

Mrs. Sibbie McDonald has a sow and nine pigs for sale cheap for the money.

A good number of our town folks attended the picnic at Grange City Saturday and report a good time and a day well spent for the Sunday-school workers.

E. C. Kimbrell has his fair young bride—lovely as the star of evening or moonlight—returned to the home of the bride's parents July 1st, after a ten-day wedding tour at Corey Island, Bear Creek, and the home of the groom's parents in the southwestern part of Montgomery county.

Joseph Moody, of Rowan county, near here, died of cancer June 30. He was about 65 years old and had long been a member of the Christian Church. He leaves a wife and six children to mourn his demise. We know by experience how to sympathize with you and can say to the loved ones to grieve not as for those who have us put the hope in Jesus, for we know that if we keep his statutes we shall see him with the redeemed in the Paradise of God.

Yale.

Miss Martha Day spent Monday with home folks.

Did you all know that Monday was the 4th of July?

Will Cochran visited his mother at Mt. Sterling last week.

Dr. Pritchard and wife are visiting her parents at Catlettsburg.

H. E. Bartholomew and wife are visiting his father at Ashland this week.

Frank Cochran and Bob Nicholson spent the 4th of July in Mt. Sterling.

Everett Caldwell, the little clerk of the S. L. store, spent Sunday with his parents.

Miss Kate Bates, of Riverside, attended the ice-cream supper last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Day, of Farmers, were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Price Cassidy, Sunday.

Clarence Clayton, the young clerk at Farmers, visited one of the fair sex here Sunday. Come again, sweet boy.

We have a new nurse in Yale, nursing the sick. He is very attractive. His patient is improving very much.

Miss Myrtle Dickerson spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Morris, and on her return home was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Morris.

It is rather strange our little bookkeeper was out of town. He surely had some attraction at Salt Lick Sunday. We missed his company very much.

The ladies of the Union Church had a success with the ice-cream supper Saturday night. The Lickington band rendered the music for the crowd. They are handsome boys that play in the band. We had a large amount of collections and also a large crowd.

Preston.

Henry Ginter is somewhat better. Will Williamson is on the sick list.

Miss Lizzie Nixon is visiting on Flat Creek.

Sam Holland, of Clark Co., is visiting here.

Mrs. Martha Bolts is visiting at Lexington this week.

Mrs. Frank Paxton is very low and not expected to live.

Mrs. Joe Carmichael is visiting in Flemingsburg this week.

Mrs. Viola Stunt (visited at) Pease Hill from Friday till Saturday.

Rev. J. M. Adams preached to a large congregation at Kendall's Spring Sunday.

Miss Peach Still, of Chestnut Grove, is the guest of friends and relatives here.

Misses Anna Watson and Bettie Perkins, of Mt. Sterling, are pleasant guests of Miss Mattie Hughes.

Died, July 2, 1898, at his home near here, little Mattie Friley, aged thirteen months. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

And the loss was sorely felt. But "his God who has been with us" will all our sorrows heal.

Upper Prickly Ash.

Squire Shront, we are sorry to say, is no better.

A large crowd of young folks from here attended the picnic at Grange City Saturday.

Wesley Shront, of Clark Co., visited his brother, Squire George Shront, last week.

W. C. Harper, of Stepstone, C. S. Rathbun and family, Charles Harper and wife, of Ball Eagle, visited at Daniel Harper's Sunday.

W. M. Warner, of Harrison Co., came Saturday to join his wife, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frances Hamilton, for the past four weeks.

The good people of Prickly Ash have solicited Elder Kendall to give a sermon on the waters at the Olympian Springs the fourth Sunday in August. Those who wish can take their dinners, stay all day and drink of the mineral waters.

There was a notice in the Upper Prickly Ash item last week that there would be an ice-cream supper at Harper's school-house next Saturday night, but the high waters Monday swept the house away and therefore there can not be any supper.

One of the heaviest rains fell here Monday afternoon that has fallen for years. Some of the branches were higher than ever known before, doing a great deal of damage to fencing and crops. The small valleys of Prickly Ash are almost swept clean of fencing and crops from hill to hill. Harper's school-house was swept off in the flood and landed about 14 miles down the creek in Sam Latham's field, badly broken up; also Gus Mann's dwelling house with all his household plunder and goods. The water was in a number of houses along the bluffs.

Quincy.

Wm. Case, wife and son, Master Herman, were guests of friends here the first of the week.

A heavy rain fell here Monday, and there must have been a water-spout on the head-waters, as the creek was high and did more damage than was ever known before. As items are scarce will give some of the greatest damages as far as we have been along the creek: Jno. B. Donaldson, from 75 to 100 pounds of fencing washed off and several acres of corn growing; Sam Jones, on the Mitchell farm, from 150 to 200 panels and 4 acres of corn; Geo. D. Guggell, about 300 panels and some corn; W. B. Powers, several panels and about 100 acres of stone fence; H. M. Butcher, from 300 to 400 panels; S. B. Hawkins, some fencing, 4 acres of corn and the old Doggett shop; J. E. Guggell, 60 rods of stone fence, some fencing, some tobacco and 1 blacksmith shop and contents; I. R. Darrell, about 40 panels of post and railing, 40 rods of wire and other fencing, 2 acres of corn, 3 acres of good tobacco gone and 2 acres badly damaged, barn wrecked and some tobacco sticks gone; W. T. Anderson, several shocks of wheat, some fencing, mill and shop slightly wrecked; J. B. Jones, a few rods of paling, stone fencing and some tobacco; J. S. Anderson, 100 shocks of wheat and some fence; M. A. Garner, a lot of fence, 6 acres of corn and 40 shocks of wheat; Geo. Harber, some fencing; J. W. Snedegar, some fencing and 6 acres of corn; W. A. Snedegar, 6 acres of corn, 2 acres of tobacco and a lot of fence; Geo. Anderson, over 100 shocks of wheat and 8 acres of corn; Wm. Jones and 2 acres of tobacco, saying nothing of the serious damage to land, which is considerable. Besides, J. B. Donaldson's house was damaged by lightning striking it twice at the east and west end; also struck two horses of Joe Byron's, killing them.

Olympia.

C. W. Clayton, of Farmers, was down Sunday.

H. P. Adams was in Winchester and Lexington Monday.

G. C. Thomas has been visiting his family in Ohio the past week.

We are having some very hot weather in this section at present.

A little child of Wm. Mountjoy died Sunday afternoon of whooping cough.

The meeting at the Methodist Church closed last Thursday night with several additions.

Miss Bethel McGlosson, of Johnson Station, is visiting her grandfather, J. W. McGlosson, this week.

Miss Lida Tipton visited her brother, Ben McGlosson, at Johnson Station from Friday until Sunday.

Joseph Beagle, Sr., of Bourbon county, who had been a sufferer from rheumatism for some time and who had been visiting his son Frank at this place for the past week, quietly passed over the river from whence there is no returning on last Saturday. Elder T. S. Tinsley delivered a beautiful and comforting address to his friends and relatives Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, after which the remains were interred in the Dringville Cemetery. Deceased was 65 years old and leaves a wife and seven children to mourn his loss. Owing to sickness and other causes only three of his children were permitted to be at his funeral. His youngest son Lewis, having enlisted in defense of his country, is now at Chickamauga. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

South Side.

Burial for "Knob Lick."

Men who revile marriage the hardest are the easiest when once they let go all bonds and fall in love. What say you, "West End?"

Dr. Talmage says: "Young Americans should cease lunging vain delusions." Isn't that a naughty word for a preacher to apply to you, girls?

Miss Edna, the pretty and popular daughter of Henry Willis, of near Salt Lick, after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Jns. Greer, has returned home.

A friend says the way to get away with bed bugs is to give them salt water. This will make the bed bugs dry, and when they are away after a drink move your bed into another room.

If a law could be passed and enforced prohibiting people from using the money they owe others in putting on style and trying to act aristocratic the number of shames and dodges would be decreased about two thirds.

"South Side" has no base ball team this year, but we have quite a number of preachers who can draw just as big a Sunday crowd as the games would, and create less noise to disturb the Sabbath stillness.

A print shop is a place where people visiting or transacting business should by all means keep their hands off the type and machinery; where they should be as quiet as possible and not disturb those at work; where, Heaven forbid it, the worst raising is revealed by those who stand behind the type-setter and read the copy he is putting into type. Commit this to memory. Read it, and the printer will be in a better frame of mind to give you a complimentary notice if he sees a chance to do so.

A word to you, sonny,—you little twelve or thirteen-year-old boy who is smoking cigarettes on the sly: What do you want to be when you grow up—a stewart, healthy, vigorous, broad shouldered man, or a puny, meek, unaccounted, weak-minded dandy? If you want to be a man, with hair on your face, brains in your head and muscles in your limbs, you just let those cigarettes alone. If you want to be a thing pitied by your folks, despised by the girls and held in contempt by your fellows, keep right on smoking cigarettes and end your days in an insane asylum.

Before writing up items for THE OUTLOOK you scribble lay down and went to sleep and dreamed that he was in the city of Salt Lick, and it was an incorporated city of 5,000 inhabitants and governed by a letter. It was scrupulously clean, and while walking around we saw three men arrested for spitting on the pavement. A garbage barrel stood on each corner, hand-painted and with a blue ribbon, mail boxes were decorated with drawn work, throws, and the fire-plugs had cushioned seats on top of them. Sweet-pea vines were climbing over the electric-light poles and a hand-painted cupid occupied a prominent place on every corner. There was no business, not a team being allowed on the Main street for fear of making dust. The town was deserted save for the policeman, who marched up and down to see that no one with dusty shoes stepped into town. During the dream a man was hanged in the suburbs for being out with the boys the night before. CLOMOPPEN.

Stepstone.

Miss Lida Tipton is visiting in Owingsville.

Miss Lucy Myers and R. F. Myers, Sr., are on the sick list.

Robt. Nixon, wife and Miss Carrie Nixon, of Owingsville, spent Sunday here.

An infant child of Newton Reed, of Pecked Oak, died Sunday evening, aged about three months.

Capt. E. G. Nichols and R. L. Jenkins came down to Stepstone to celebrate the Fourth. They are stationed at Gates.

There is to be a new school-house in the Sugar Grove district this fall. It has not yet been decided, but will be built somewhere near the old one.